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Bruce H. Evans Nephi Sandstone Corporation P.O. Box 137 Nephi, Utah 84648-0137

Subject:

Division Directive to Reclaim, Nephi Sandstone Corporation, Soma Quarry, S/023/0065, Juab

County, Utah

Dear Mr. Evans:

As per the requirements of R647-3-113.5, the Division of Oil Gas and Mining requires reclamation of the Soma Quarry. This rule states, in part:

The Division will require complete reclamation of the mine site when the suspension period exceeds 10 years, unless the operator appeals to the Board prior to the expiration of the 10-year period and shows good cause for a longer suspension period.

According to the Division's records, this mine has been inactive since 2002. In addition, the annual permit fees were not paid for 2009, 2010, 2012, and 2013 (fees were not required in 2011). The total amount due is \$600.00.

You are hereby directed to have all regrading and seeding work completed and to pay the permit fees by December 1, 2013.

Failure to complete reclamation as required may result in enforcement action and the Division seeking forfeiture of the reclamation surety.

Please contact Wayne Western at 801-538-5263 or me at 801-538-5261 if you have questions or concerns about this letter. Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

Paul B. Baker

Minerals Program Manager

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